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25X1 4. [ ] Representative William Minshall called from Cleveland to say he expects to arrive in Washington on Saturday morning 29 August, and would like tentatively to schedule a meeting with us in his office for noon. I said this would be fine and alerted Messrs. [ ] and [ ] of OCI, who will brief Mr. Minshall in preparation for his upcoming visit to [ ]

25X1A 5. [ ] George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called with regard to this morning's article in the New York Times stating that Secretary Laird had disclosed Soviet MIRV tests. I advised Murphy that we are quite certain that Secretary Laird had not discussed MIRVs in his press conference yesterday and the Times article was inaccurate in this respect. I pointed out that a similar article in this morning's Washington Post identified these as MRV tests.

25X1 6. [ ] Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, called and said Senator Jackson had asked her to get a briefing on the implications of the article in the New York Times stating that the Soviets had conducted MIRV tests. I told Miss Fosdick that the insertion of the "I" in this acronym was an error on the part of the New York Times. Later in the day I accompanied Mr. David Brandwein to a briefing of Miss Fosdick on the two SS-11 tests referred to in the Secretary's press conference yesterday.

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9. [ ] Accompanied Messrs. [ ]  
[ ] to a briefing of the staff of the Joint Committee  
on Atomic Energy on a recent Seismic event in Afghanistan. Present  
from the Committee staff were: Ed Bauser, George Murphy, and Seymour  
Shwiler. [ ] gave the staff members the substance of  
the conclusions reached at a JAEIC meeting today and agreed to keep the  
staff informed of any further determinations concerning this event.

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5. [ ] called to say that George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, had called regarding Seismic signals which were picked up in Afghanistan on 8 July. Murphy said that Staff Director Ed Bauser wanted a briefing this afternoon. [ ] said that Doyle Northrup, of [ ] was scheduled to go up to the JCAE today and that he [ ] had suggested to Murphy that our briefing be deferred until after a JAEIC meeting on this event tomorrow.

I talked with Ed Bauser who said he was expecting Northrup this afternoon. He added that our briefing, after the JAEIC meeting, if nuclear matters were involved was acceptable to him.

6. [ ] Jay Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, called in connection with some fourteen rolls of film and three boxes of slides of Cuba he had received which were taken by a member of the Vencheremos Brigade and offered to make the potographer available to us if we were interested. Sourwine said for security reasons he did not want to use commercial facilities to develop the prints from the film and asked if we could help him out with the understanding that we could make as many prints of the film as we wished. He also said the photographer had met with the FBI but that he was only interviewed for a few minutes. I told Sourwine I thought we could work this out and he said that Jack Norpel, of the Subcommittee staff, would hold on to the film until we dropped by. [ ] has been advised.

7. [ ] Gerry Schiappa, in the office of Representative Louis C. Wyman (R., N.H.), called to restate the Congressman's strong interest in getting a plaque of the Agency seal for his office (see Journal of 5 August 1970). Schiappa stressed that Wyman was quite adamant since he is a member of the Appropriations Defense Subcommittee and other members of the Subcommittee, specifically John Rhodes (R., Ariz.), had the Agency seal in their office. I repeated what I had told Wyman's office earlier that we did not have any plaques available but that we would keep Wyman's interest in mind, and Schiappa stressed once again that Wyman's feelings were strong on this.

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